## ANNUAL SURVEY OF PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT & PAYROLL

### MARCH 2011 - MAJOR SPECIAL DISTRICTS AND AGENCIES

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### RETURN TO:
U.S. Census Bureau  
1201 East 10th Street  
Jeffersonville, IN 47132-0001

If you have any questions, please call 1-800-642-4901  
Weekdays, 7am to 5pm EST.

Questions may also be emailed to: govs.employ@census.gov

In correspondence pertaining to this report, please refer to the User ID below the address box.

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### INTERNET RESPONSE: If you prefer, you may respond to this survey via the Internet at the following web address: http://harvester.census.gov/sgenet  
You will need your User ID to access the Internet form.

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### DATA SUPPLIED BY
Name of person completing the report

**Title**

**Area Code and Phone Number**

**Extension**

**Fax**

**E-Mail**

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### PAID EMPLOYEES/OFFICIALS

Please complete this survey form if your agency currently has paid employees/officials.  
If your agency has **NO PAID employees/officials**, mark (x) here.

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### PART I - FULL-TIME STANDARD WEEKLY HOURS

What is the average or standard number of **weekly** hours of work for the **MAJORITY** of your full-time employees?

**Mark (X) ONE box only.**

- A 39 hours or more  
- B 37.5 to 38.9 hours  
- C 34 to 37.4 hours  
- D 32 to 33.9 hours  
- E 30 to 31.9 hours

Less than 30 hours per week should be reported as Part-Time.

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### PART II - PAY INTERVAL

1. How frequently are your full-time employees (all or most) paid for their services?  
   **Mark (X) ONE box only.** For multiple pay intervals, see SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS on page 4.

   - M Monthly  
   - T Twice a month  
   - B Bi-Weekly  
   - W Weekly

2. How frequently are your part-time employees (all or most) paid for their services?  
   **Mark (X) ONE box only.** For multiple pay intervals, see SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS on page 4.

   - M Monthly  
   - T Twice a month  
   - B Bi-Weekly  
   - W Weekly

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PART II - EMPLOYEES, PAYROLL, AND PART-TIME HOURS

Report data for the ONE PAY PERIOD, which includes March 12, 2011 and corresponds to the pay interval marked in Part II. If some employees are on a different pay interval from the majority, please report these employees, their payroll, and any part-time hours separately as indicated in the special instructions on page 3.

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<th>Function</th>
<th>Full-time Employees</th>
<th>Part-time Employees</th>
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<td></td>
<td>Total number of employees at each pay interval</td>
<td>Gross pay roll for employees in column (a)</td>
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<td>(a)</td>
<td>$ (b)</td>
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<td>1. Fire protection</td>
<td>Report paid volunteer firefighters as part-time employees; include volunteers paid per call; exclude unpaid volunteers. Report forest fire protection employees in Natural Resources.</td>
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<td>a. Firefighters</td>
<td>Persons engaged in fire suppression and prevention. Include employees trained in these activities but performing other duties such as dispatching, emergency medical care, etc.</td>
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<td>b. All other fire protection employees.</td>
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<td>c. TOTAL - Sum of Items 1a and 1b.</td>
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<td>2. Water supply system</td>
<td>Public water supply system operated by your government. Irrigation activities should be reported in Natural Resources.</td>
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<td>3. Electric power system</td>
<td>Owned and operated by your government.</td>
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<td>4. Gas supply system</td>
<td>Owned and operated by your government.</td>
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<td>5. Transit system</td>
<td>Owned and operated by your government.</td>
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<td>6. Natural resources</td>
<td>Forest fire protection, irrigation, drainage, flood control, forestry, etc.</td>
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<td>7. Sewers and sewage disposal</td>
<td>Provision, maintenance, and operation of sanitary and storm sewer systems and sewage disposal plants. Report water supply employees in Water supply system.</td>
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<td>8. Solid waste management</td>
<td>Street cleaning, recycling, garbage and refuse collection and disposal, operation of sanitary landfill.</td>
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<td>10. Airport</td>
<td>Owned and operated by your government.</td>
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<td>11. Sea and inland port facilities</td>
<td>Owned and operated by your government.</td>
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<td>12. Public welfare</td>
<td>Maintenance of homes and other institutions for the needy, nursing homes, administration of public assistance and veteran services, senior citizen and handicapped homes, and social service agencies.</td>
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<td>13. Health</td>
<td>Public health services, emergency medical services, mental health, alcohol and drug abuse, outpatient clinics, visiting nurses, food and sanitation inspection, animal control, other environmental health activities.</td>
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<td>15. Parks and recreation</td>
<td>Parks, playgrounds, swimming pools, auditoriums, museums, marinas, zoos, etc.</td>
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<td>16. All other</td>
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Additional remarks – Please indicate below any groups of your employees for which you could not supply information or any difficulties you encountered in completing the form. Please provide an explanation for any significant changes to employment or payroll occurring within the last year that would aid in understanding this report.
DEFINITIONS

EMPLOYEES – Persons paid for personal services performed in the indicated pay period, including persons in a paid leave status. Include any officials paid on a salary basis; by fees or commissions; on a per meeting basis; or a flat sum quarterly, semiannually, or annually. Exclude employees on unpaid leave, unpaid officials, pensioners, and contractors and their employees.

FULL-TIME EMPLOYEES – Persons employed during the pay period to work the number of hours per week that represents regular full-time employment. Include temporary or seasonal employees who are working the number of hours that represents full-time employment.

PART-TIME EMPLOYEES – Persons employed on a part-time basis during the designated pay period. Include those daily or hourly employees usually engaged for less than the regular full-time workweek, as well as any part-time paid officials. Exclude here, and report as full-time, any temporary or seasonal employees working on a full-time basis during this pay period.

PAYROLL (GROSS BEFORE DEDUCTIONS) – Salaries, wages, fees, or commissions earned by employees during (or applicable to) the pay period(s) which includes March 12, 2011. Include overtime, premium, night differential pay, bonuses, and incentive payments that are paid at regular pay intervals. Include amounts withheld for taxes, employee contributions to retirement systems, etc. Exclude employer share of fringe benefits, lump sum payments and the value of living quarters and subsistence allowances furnished to employees.

If some employees are on a different pay interval from the majority, please report these employees, their payroll, and part-time hours separately as indicated in the Special Instructions for Part III.

PART-TIME HOURS PAID – Total hours actually paid during the pay interval for all persons working less than the number of hours that represents full-time employment. Include an estimate of hours worked during the pay interval for part-time employees not compensated on an hourly basis.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

1. Indicate in Part I the standard weekly hours of work for most full-time employees.
2. Indicate in Part II the length or frequency of your pay interval.
3. Include all current employees whether paid from the general fund or special funds.
4. Report in Part III gross payroll amounts for just the ONE PAY PERIOD which includes March 12, 2011.
   a. Do not report cumulative salaries since the beginning of the calendar or fiscal year.
   b. Do not report payroll amounts from last fiscal year.
   c. Do not report the employer costs of non-wage employee benefits such as workers’ compensation, FICA, health insurance, etc.
5. Include total paid hours of work for part-time employees in Part III, column (e). If actual hours are not known, please enter an estimate.
6. Use the reporting format shown in SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS on page 3 if you have multiple pay intervals.
7. If you are unable to supply any of the information requested in Part III, please list in “Additional remarks” the source(s) of the missing information (including address and telephone number). Please provide an explanation for any significant changes to employment or payroll occurring within the last year that would aid in understanding this report.
8. If exact figures are not available, enter estimates and mark with an asterisk.
9. Complete the “Data supplied by” box on the front of the form and return the completed questionnaire in the envelope provided. If additional people assisted in completing this report, please include contact information in “Additional remarks” on page 2.
10. Retain a copy of the completed questionnaire for your records. Thank you.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

Report separately in Part III all employees, payrolls, and part-time hours that are on a pay interval different from the one reported in Part II, PAY INTERVAL. Write a pay interval code M, T, B, W, Q, S, or A next to payroll amounts and part-time hours to indicate applicable pay interval.

For example, if your government has fifty (50) full-time employees and seven (7) part-time employees and each is paid at different pay intervals, report data separately as shown in the following example:

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<td>Full-time employees</td>
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<td>Number</td>
<td>Payroll</td>
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<td>27</td>
<td>$94,500 (M)</td>
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<td>15</td>
<td>$8,250 (W)</td>
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<td>8</td>
<td>$160,000 (A)</td>
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In this example, $94,500 represents the monthly (code M) amount for 27 full-time employees; $8,250 represents the weekly (code W) amount for 15 full-time employees; and $160,000 represents the annual (code A) amount for 8 full-time employees; and $3,000 represents the biweekly (code B) amount for 5 part-time employees; $10,500 represents the quarterly (code Q) amount for 2 part-time employees.